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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce the good Democrats below as candidates at the Democratic primary on August 4, 1917, to fill the offices to which they aspire:

FOR STATE SENATOR

LEE W. WAINSCOTT,
Clark County.
GEORGE HON.
Clark County.
ABRAM RENICK,
Clark County.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

DAVID D. CLINE.

FOR JAILER

GEO. W. JUDY,
THOS. TAUL,
JOHN H. DOTY,
WALKER KISER,
C. T. MASTERSON,
W. O. BUTLER,
JOHN W. KING,
J. W. HART.

FOR ASSESSOR

WALTER CLARK,
of Paris, with Jno. J. Redmon, of North Middletown, as deputy.

GEO. D. SPEAKES,

of Paris, with Lee R. Craven, of Little Rock, as Deputy.

FOR MAYOR

JAMES H. MORELAND.

FOR POLICE JUDGE

CLAUDE F. REDMON,
J. W. BROWN,
P. A. THOMPSON,
HARRY L. MITCHELL,
ERNEST MARTIN

EDITORIAL MUSINGS.

The Power of Cold Facts.

A remarkable instance of the power of the newspaper press has just been given in England. A complete readjustment of the cabinet governing that country has just been forced, and it is said to have been due to a dispatch from a correspondent of the London Times. This dispatch dwelt on the fact that the army was being supplied with too much shrapnel and too few high explosive shells.

If the downfall of the English cabinet is thus truly explained, it is an instance of the power of careful and accurate statements of fact, both in newspaper work and in political campaigning. There are too many newspaper men in this country who are mere armchair critics. They can write brilliant and slashing articles, but they lack a foundation of solid investigation.

The political stump is full of off-hand statements, who can get you up a slam-banging speech in a half hour. It exposes the absurdity and futility of opponents, and is clever, witty, and sets the galleries to cheering. But when the thoughtful citizen gets home he asks himself, "What more do I know about my government?" To which he must answer, "Nothing."

Probably one reason why political rallies are not well attended is that there is too much arm swinging and too little real information.

American newspapers are all the time presenting carefully prepared statements of facts, that are just as influential in a more limited field as has been the dispatch that is said to have broken the English cabinet. But the national temperament interposes obstacles in the way of the most accurate work. The public demands its news quick. It would rather take an unverified rumor to-day than to have an editor spend twenty-four hours getting more accurate information and come in late with his story. The public blames the newspaper press for inaccuracy, and then forces the newspapers to compete under conditions that make accuracy difficult if not impossible.

Poor War Goods.

A dispatch from a European correspondent reports that much complaint is being made abroad with the quality of war goods imported from this country. It is asserted that on a

large order for stocks, while the contract called for 70 per cent wool, yet the goods were found to be 70 per cent cotton. Also a big shipment of shoes it is said, has gone to pieces in actual wear.

Now stories like these may be greatly magnified by foreign producers, who dislike to see American goods getting a foothold even in war time. But there may be some basis for them. "Tricks in every trade but ours," is a common proverb. Adulterations are common in this country, and sometimes seem necessary to get business.

The war ought to make increased markets for American goods. But if these goods vary from samples or agreement, the new business will never stick.

American manufacturers can not build up permanent trade, at home or abroad, except on honest goods. If inferior material has to be used to compete with rivals, the buyer should be told the fact. He is sure to find it out. If he buys with his eyes open, there is no come-back.

Very different standards prevail in different manufacturing communities. In this matter. In some factories the tradition of strictly first-class material is handed on from the boss to the men, from father to son. There is a factory sentiment that inferior material hurts the business in the long run, and for the good of the seller and the workman, as well as the buyer, should be rejected. In other places the idea of substituting inferior stock and loose standardization of quality is equally traditional. A temporary success may be reached on the latter basis. But it is impossible to see how it can become continuous and substantial.

"INTOLERANCE" AT LEXINGTON

"Intolerance," the latest masterpiece of D. W. Griffith, creator of "The Birth of a Nation," is coming to the Lexington Opera House for one week, beginning next Monday night, February 26. Matinees will be given daily, beginning Tuesday. It would be difficult to make a theatrical announcement that could cause more satisfaction than this, for this mighty spectacle, right at the present time, is duplicating the phenomenal success of "The Birth of a Nation" in many of the largest cities of America.

"Intolerance" has been before the public only six months, yet it has to its credit a run of five months in New York City. In both Chicago and Philadelphia it is now in its third month and turning people away from the theatres at every performance. Long runs were established in other big cities, for instance, ten weeks in Pittsburgh, the engagement having closed last week, that is coming direct to Lexington next Monday night, and people in this vicinity will have the opportunity of seeing "Intolerance" exactly as exhibited in the largest cities.

There will be a symphony orchestra of thirty musicians and a trained chorus of singers. The spectacle, as nearly every one has read, cost \$2,000,000 to produce, employed over 125,000 people and took three years to complete. One scene alone cost more than the entire "Birth of a Nation."

In the cast are such celebrities as Mae Marsh, Mariam Cooper, Seena Owen, Constance Talmadge, Bessie Love, Lillian Gish, Margery Wilson, Robert Herron, Tully Marshall, Elmer Clifton and Alfred Paget.

Seats will be from 25 cents to \$1.50 at nights and 25 cents to \$1 for the matinees. The advance sale starts this morning at the Ben Ali Theatre. Mail orders, if accompanied by remittance and self-addressed envelope will receive immediate attention. (23-2t)

STATE ASKED TO CURB TELEPHONE GOSSIPS.

The State Public Utilities Commission of Colorado, has been asked to prevent women in Southern Colorado from monopolizing rural gossip. D. A. Strong, of Mead, Col., testifying before the commission investigating the rates and service of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company, said the farmers were unable to transact business over the telephone and requested the State Commission to remedy conditions.

WINTER BRINGS COLD TO THE CHILDREN.

A child rarely goes through the whole winter without a cold, and every mother should have a reliable remedy handy. Fever, sore throat, tight chest and croupy coughs are sure symptoms. A dose of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey will loosen the phlegm, relieve the congested lungs and stop the cough. The antiseptic pine balsam heals and soothes. For croup, whooping cough and chronic bronchial troubles try Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. At all Drug Stores, 25c. (Feb-adv)

MILITARY THRIFT.

Near Paris a huge factory has been established to make over British uniforms. A special squad is detailed to visit the scenes of every battle and procure the uniforms of the killed and wounded, where they are sorted, mended, disinfected and released. Those that are beyond the state of repair are sold as junk to the rag-dealers. Besides this establishment there is also a boot factory, employing twenty men and 170 women who do nothing but repair boots sent in from the trenches. Over 2,000 boots are repaired every day, at a cost averaging three pence per boot.

In the front of a large London building there was recently found a pigeon's nest made of hairpins.

HEALTH AND WELFARE LEAGUE CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

The third anniversary of the organization of the Bourbon County Health and Welfare League was fittingly celebrated at the Y. M. C. A. building in this city last Monday, by the observance of a special program that had been carefully prepared by those in charge of that feature of the celebration.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Harry B. Clay, first vice-president of the League. A brief business session was held, at which plans for the coming spring and summer work were discussed and other matters disposed of. Mrs. Denis Dundon, who represented the League at the recent session of the Federation of Clubs, held at Eminence, was present, and gave an interesting report of the proceedings of the meeting, also reading the report of the League, which she presented at the Federation meeting.

Dr. W. L. Heiser, of Frankfort, Secretary of the State Tuberculosis Commission, was present as an invited guest. Dr. Heiser delivered an instructive and interesting address to the members of the League on the subject of the work being done throughout the State by the organization with which he is connected. He gave the League a great deal of valuable information along the lines of fighting and preventing the "Great White Plague," and was listened to with the closest attention.

Mrs. Harriet Minaker, Visiting Nurse for the League, submitted her report for the year ending February 1, 1917, as follows:

Received for nursing service to Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, \$469.00.

Received for care of Private cases \$12.50.

Funds of Health and Welfare League expended by nurse, \$495.80.

Funds of Bourbon county expended by nurse, \$216.00.

Private donations expended by nurse, \$250.00.

Visits made by nurse to Metropolitan policy holders, \$91; visits made by nurse to patients (not policy holders), 605; Visits made for business purposes, investigations, etc., 943. Total, 2,493.

Schools visited by nurse, 19; school children examined by nurse, 540; School Health League organized at Little Rock, January 31, 1917; tubercular patients (new in 1916) receiving care of nurse, 16; tubercular patients (old) receiving care of nurse, 22. Total, 44.

Deaths from tuberculosis in 1916 (white patients), 5; negro patients, 7. Total, 12.

Births Visiting Nurse in attendance, 25.

Many other items of interest in the Welfare work were included in Mrs. Minaker's report, among them being "The Penny Lunch," which was established at her office on January 19, and which was made possible by the generosity of a friend, who contributed liberally to the fund for the sake of the children, and who was one of the largest contributors to the Children's "White Christmas." Through Mrs. Minaker the League is doing a noble and charitable work in Paris and the county, and is receiving the hearty co-operation of the city and county physicians, the officials of the city and county, the Paris business men, and the congregations of all the churches, both white and black.

Mr. J. J. Tucker, representing the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., was present, and expressed his sincere appreciation both personally, and as a representative of the Company, of the good work being done by the League and promised the further good will and earnest co-operation of the Company in the future work of the League. At the conclusion of the business meeting and the program, a social hour was held, during which refreshments were served the guests.

FORGER ARRESTED HERE DID WHOLESALE BUSINESS

William Abney, the eighteen-year-old Winchester boy, who was arrested here Sunday morning on a warrant from the Winchester authorities, charging him with forgery, was tried Monday afternoon before Judge R. S. Seabee, and held to await the action of the grand jury at the next session of the Clark Circuit Court.

When arrested here Abney had in his possession, \$37.75 in cash, which, it now develops, represented the proceeds of other forgeries besides the Reeves check, which caused his arrest. Up to date six checks for different amounts, alleged to have been forged by Abney, and cashed by Winchester merchants, have turned up. At the trial Monday, Abney pleaded guilty as charged.

"THE HIGH COST OF MUD."

That's it exactly. Mud comes high. A muddy road costs lots more than a hard, dry road. The United States Department of Agriculture has been carrying on some investigations for five years in selected counties in Virginia, New York, Alabama, Florida and Mississippi, and finds that good roads have increased land values from 25 to 194 per cent and reduced hauling costs to less than one-half what they were with bad roads.

In a word, it is cheaper to build good roads than to drive through the mud. Also and moreover, it is pleasant and more conducive to happy homes and friendly feelings.

In Germany there has been invented a fireproof celluloid, chiefly for use in automobile windows and wind shields.

HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED WITH COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends a Cold or Grippe in a Few Hours.

Your cold will break and all gripe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stopped up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute. (adv)

THE MARCH WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION.

In the March Woman's Home Companion Mary Heaton Vorse has a love story entitled "The Great God," an interesting indictment of the lives of many American women of the wealthier class. There are many other good stories and a large number of excellent articles and special features.

"Out of the Shadow of Debt," by an anonymous writer, gives the dramatic personal experience of a young couple in meeting their obligations and shows how debt itself is nothing more than a bad habit which may be broken. In "Scenario Writing" Jasper Ewing Brady explains the requirements for a successful moving picture author and how to attain them. "The Delicate Child," by Roger H. Dennett, M. D., is a sensible, helpful article on how to make a child well and keep it so. "My Memories," by Louise Homer is an interesting autobiographical sketch by the great singer whose musical success was won in the United States. There are also articles by Laura Spencer Porter, C. H. Claudy, the automobile expert, Lillian Brewster, Adeline T. Thomson and Charlotte F. Boldtman.

The short stories include "The Message," by Emily Sargent Lewis, "The Charmer," by Sophie Kerr, and "Cry-Baby," by Mabel Dill, Sinclair Lewis completes his novel, "The Innocents." Fashions are discussed by Grace Margaret Gould, who gives many new ideas for spring costumes. The departments of "Cooking," "Handicraft" and the section for younger readers are valuable and entertaining, and the picture section, both in color and Alce Gravure, completes a decidedly good number.

A bayonet to be attached to a man's shoe, intended for hunters of big game as well as soldiers, has been patented by a New York inventor.

Lost—Reward.

Somewhere between shipping pens in Paris and my place on North Middletown pike, on last Friday, Feb. 19, a 2-year-old steer, weight about 900 to 1,000 pounds. Suitable reward for information leading to recovery.
W. A. THOMASON,
Paris, Ky.
(20-2t)

Removal Notice.

Our store has been moved to the Masonic Temple building in the room opposite Windsor Hotel.
We have all makes of pianos and player-pianos. Sheet music of the latest publication received every week.
One player-piano bargain for this week.
(Feb-20-2t) BROWN'S MUSIC STORE.

Notice To the Public!

I will pay this season the highest prices that have ever been known in Paris for horse hides, beef hides, sheep pelts and furs.
I will also pay the highest market price for Rags and Paper. I will send after it any place in the city. Call by Cumberland phone 374. Office on Eighth Street.
(20-oct-1yr) MAX MUNICH.

Public Sale

— OF —

Stock and Farm and Road Machinery.

I will offer at public sale at my place on the Mt. Sterling pike, one-half mile from North Middletown, on
Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1917,
at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

1 rock den;
1 crusher;
1 elevator;
1 kerosene engine (Int. Harvester);
2 camp houses;
2 dump carts;
Quarry tools;
1 team, wagon and harness;
Block and tackle and 200 ft. rope;
1 steel road plow;
Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Made known on day of sale.
ABE CARMINE.
TOM WELLS, Auctioneer.
Feb-16-4t)

Sole Agency
STACY-ADAMS
SHOES
\$7.00 and \$7.50
Take Advantage of These Prices and Save Money.
HARRY LINVILLE

Twin Bros. Department Store
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Tobacco Cotton
All Grades at Lowest Prices.

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March 1, 2, 3, 4, Return March 10
Account Inauguration President Wilson
Liberal Stop-Overs are Permitted.

For further information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or address W. M. YENT, District Passenger Agent, Phoenix Hotel Block, Lexington, Ky. (23-3)

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water accounts are rendered for quarter from January to April 1, and must be paid at the office of the Paris Water Company in fifteen days, or water will be shut off. Parties desiring to do so can pay as formerly, six months. Rebates due anyone will be credited on these bills.
(12-4t) PARIS WATER CO.

FOR RENT.

Three unfurnished rooms at No. 733 Walker avenue. Hot and cold water and other conveniences. Call Home Phone 339. (Jan-30-4t)

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Everything for the Orchard, Lawn and Garden.

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1841 LEXINGTON, KY. 1917
(Feb 16-1m)

Tobacco Land Wanted.

I desire to rent on the shares from twelve to fifteen acres of good land, suitable for raising a crop of tobacco. Can give the very best of references from men on whose places I have raised banner crops. In 1915 I raised a crop on the Stanhope Wiedemann place that brought from 16½¢ to 33¢ per pound, one of the best sales at the Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse. Am at present located on the H. H. Krieger place, near Paris. Address, J. P. WALTON, Route 7, Paris, Ky.
(13-4t)